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Neighbourhood Centre News April 2015

Kuranda Family Day: The first Family Day of the year will be held on Tuesday the 14th of April from 10-2 in the park. This is in the second week of the school holidays. These events are held 3 times per year and are funded through local community donations from the Kuranda Paper, Medical Centre and sometimes from the Bendigo Bank. Other contributions are made by members of the Kuranda Interagency Network. They are completely free events for local families and community members with a theme of healthy lifestyle choices and community collaboration. If you wish to participate or coordinate an activity please ring Ceri on 40938933 or email on kdfs@qld.chariot.net.au.

Kuranda Playgroup Coordinator Needed: The playgroup that meets on Wednesday mornings at the KNC Garage is still looking for a new volunteer coordinator. Historically the position has been held by a mum whose child attends playgroup. The current coordinator is looking to move on and can do a handover to a new coordinator. The playgroup sits under the umbrella of QLD Playgroup Association and has a range of resources that are funded by attendance fees (\$2 per session for family). Please contact Marg on 40938933 or drop into the Playgroup on Wednesday from 9.30am.

Veggie Seedlings: The seedlings currently unavailable due to illness at the supply source - we will update in the next edition of the Kuranda Paper.

Furniture Exchange: If you have items in good condition to donate, please let us know and we will arrange for a pick up. Right now, we are seeking a number of lounges, tables & chairs and working washing machines. All items will go to families or individuals with identified needs and all items are welcome. THANKS.

Kuranda Interagency Network: This network is comprised of a range of services, agencies and representatives from the local Kuranda service network and outside services who are interested in developing better services or who are funded to deliver to Kuranda. These meetings occur on the first Tuesday of each month at 2pm on a rotating venue arrangement. If you believe you could contribute or are interested in finding out more about the network, please contact Marg on 40938933.

Relationships Australia Go Forward For Men Anger Management Program: This Behaviour Change Program (formerly known as Anger Management) to be delivered by Jackie from Relationships Australia is currently undergoing some accreditation processes. We will update in the next edition - please ask at the Centre if you wish to attend or find out more information.

Salvation Army Financial Counseling: A financial counselor from Salvation Army will come to KNC (when there is demand) on Wednesday mornings to see people who are experiencing financial difficulties with debts, debilitating contracts, high interest loans or other problems that is causing financial stress. Again, all sessions are strictly confidential and appointments can be made by calling KNC on 40938933 and asking for Ceri or Marg.

The Neighbourhood Centre Team